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RE: Provisional Application No. 60/196,456
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METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR CREATING IMAGE PASSWORDS

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application (continuing from provisional application status). (This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/196,456 filed on April 11, 2000).

Enclosed are:

- (1) Specification (16) pages
- (2) Drawings (5 sheets) - 5 Figures
- (3) Declaration and Power of Attorney
- (4) Fees of \$355.00
- (5) Certificate of Mailing by Express Mail

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Subsection 1.10 and 1.53, applicant respectfully requests that this application be assigned a serial number and a filing date of April 10, 2001, the date upon which the application was mailed to the Patent and Trademark Office by Express Mail.

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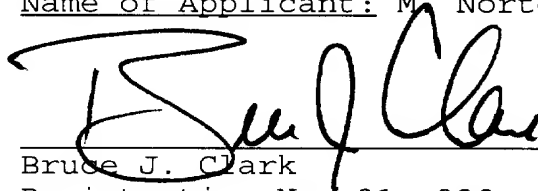


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